Attorney Docket No. 20682-0002 Application No. 10/002.948

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Alexander, et al.

Application No.: 10/002,948 Group Art Unit: 3691

Application Filed: October 18, 2001 : Examiner I Jung Liu

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR LEASING MOTOR VEHICLES TO CREDIT

CHALLENGED CONSUMERS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Please consider the following Response for the above-referenced Application. This response is filed in response to the non-final Office Action dated February 1, 2007. A shortened 3-month statutory period to respond to the Office Action expired on May 1, 2007. This Response is accompanied by a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time and the associated extension fee, making this Response timely filed.

A.) INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Amendments to the claims can be found on page 2.

There are no amendments to the specification or drawings.

Remarks begin on page 9.